

What is claimed is:

1. An optical element (10) comprising an optically functional surface (1) and a flange (2) formed on the outer periphery thereof, and having on the flange outer peripheral surface a fitted portion fitted to the inner peripheral surface of a lens-barrel (20) that has a concave groove (22) for filling an adhesive (A) formed on a part of the inner peripheral surface, and an adhering portion to be adhered to the lens-barrel (20) by the adhesive (A) filled in said concave groove (22), wherein  
a raised portion (3) is formed on the flange surface inside the flange outer peripheral surface to prevent the adhesive (A) filled in the concave groove (22) of the lens-barrel from flowing to the optically functional surface (1).
2. The optical element according to claim 1, wherein a first slant face (4) is formed on the peripheral side of said raised portion (3), and a second slant face (5) is formed from the upper end of a fitted portion of the flange outer peripheral surface toward the flange surface.
3. The optical element according to claim 2, wherein the first slant face (4) on the peripheral side of said raised portion (3) and the second slant face (5) formed from the upper end of the fitted portion toward the flange surface are on the same plane.

4. The optical element according to claim 1, wherein a space (6) is formed between the raised portion (3) and the optically functional surface (1).